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**From:** Strauss, Alexis  
**Sent:** Wed 8/12/2015 7:21:28 PM  
**Subject:** RE: DRA Call

Yes 2207

**From:** Meltzer, Kathy  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 12, 2015 12:03 PM  
**To:** Strauss, Alexis  
**Subject:** RE: DRA Call

I'll catch up with you later then.

I do have topics from OARM for tomorrow's VTC. Serena did not indicate that she had anything, but I'll ask her again today. If not, I'll just drop the Donna items into the invitation.

Do you prefer to use the VTC that is near your office?

**From:** Strauss, Alexis  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 12, 2015 12:01 PM  
**To:** Meltzer, Kathy  
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**From:** Meltzer, Kathy  
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I spoke with Barbara Lee and learned

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Thanks for the offer. I'll have to try to get out later today.

**From:** Strauss, Alexis  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 12, 2015 11:57 AM  
**To:** Meltzer, Kathy  
**Subject:** RE: DRA Call

Thx for the update. We DRAs focused on ERB/PRB representation, but mostly on influencing implementation of the nat'l telework policy, apart from R6/8/9 woes on Animas R spill.

Glad you have been activated as Finance Chief, it is an opportunity for you to each day succinctly guide Serena into what the incident command framework can involve. She has joined some of the EOC meetings to get the basics, and we are deploying the mobile lab to Farmington. Jared and Gina will be there tomorrow. I think we have two people in Durango, and most in Farmington, but you'll get that sorted out right quick.

Am headed to Specialties to pick up a sandwich, let me know if I can get you anything.

**From:** Meltzer, Kathy  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 12, 2015 11:54 AM  
**To:** Strauss, Alexis  
**Subject:** DRA Call

Sorry I missed the DRA call. Donna Vizian decided to convene a monthly meeting between her, OSWER, and the lead regions for management and Superfund on the contracts initiative. The calls are at 7:30...today's was the inaugural call. I forgot all about it until about 7 a.m. this morning and took it from home.

I've been activated for the Gold King Mine event. For now, I'll be the deputy Finance Section

Chief, but that could change in the near future. It sounds manageable for now. I envision the upfront investment of time to be significant. My task will be to straighten out who from R9 is charging where, to the R8 response or to the R9 response. Once I do that and set up my spreadsheet, it should just be a matter of maintaining the spreadsheet.